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## SOME Extra Specials On Sale--This Week

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### About the Good Roads Election

The County court was in session last Thursday and was perfectly willing to order the election for the purpose of voting on a bond issue, for road improvement purposes, as the committee requested, for July 20, but owing to the shortness of the time it was thought best to postpone the election until about the last of August, which will give more time for the people to study the proposition and get a perfect understanding of the whole subject.

J. M. WELKER, Chairman

### Good Roads Notes

There is naturally much argument advanced for and against the bond proposition. One that has been used against it is that the interest on the bonds for the period they run will amount to as much or more than the principal, and that the county will not get more than fifty cents for every dollar it spends. Some time ago the county highway board published a table showing the amount of taxes necessary to meet the principal and interest payments on a \$100,000 bond issue at 4 1/2 per cent interest. This table was verified by several different men, and at the time it was published a request was made for others to make the calculations and report any discrepancies to the board. Up to this time no one who has figured the matter up has come to any different conclusion, so far as is known by the committee in charge of the matter. This table showed that on a valuation of \$3,700,000 the average rate for the term of the bonds is about 29 cents on the one hundred

dollars per year. In other words, if a man pays taxes on \$1000 worth of property his share of the amount to pay the bonds and interest is \$290 for one year. It also shows that it will take approximately \$75,000 to pay the interest on the entire issue of bonds. These are cold mathematical calculations, and are evidently correct. So the argument that the interest will amount to as much as the principal is easily exploded. The laws regulating bond issues are much different to what they used to be. Everything is guarded by the statutes, and it is easy to calculate just how long a bond issue will run and just how much money it will take to retire it, and just what it will cost the taxpayers. Any one interested can get the law by reading sections 10520 to 10524 of the statutes of 1909.

The law states that no bonds can be sold till the contract for the work they are to pay for is let and the contractor gives a bond for twice the amount binding himself to do the work specified in the contract. The roads can be divided into reasonably short sections, thus giving many home people the right to bid on the work. The work is to be done by home men as far as is possible, thus keeping the money at home. The bonds can not draw any interest until they are actually sold. It is not supposed that they will all be sold for three or four years, so the calculations have been made on a basis of \$40,000 of the bonds being sold each year for four years. This basis may not be fol-

lowed exactly, for no one can tell how soon the work can be done. It may take less time but the general opinion is that it will be more than four years before all the arrangements can be made, plans and specifications drawn up and the contracts let. But the fact remains that however fast the work is done and the bonds disposed of, the average rate of taxation will remain the same, at about 29 cents.

In a private letter from Wm. B. Kennedy, secretary of the good roads committee of Wayne county, he says: "We have built by the old crude methods some good roads, at a cost of about \$500 per mile. With improved machinery this cost will be materially reduced. Our grading cost us \$250 to \$300 per mile the old way, and investigations which have been thorough warrant us in believing that the grading will not cost us to exceed \$60 per mile with oil tractors, scarifiers and large graders. All roads must be built by contract as you will note is provided by the statute, and we propose that the contractors shall use home labor as far as possible so that when the roads are built the people will have the money as well as the roads. The plan Wayne county used will be adopted in Bollinger county as far as possible, and as we are neighbors and consequently alike in many ways it looks as if our people ought to favor the bond issue when they fully understand it.

The committee has been in communication with Mr. A. C. McKibben, who conducted the Wayne county campaign, and arrangements are being made to have him come to Bollinger county to meet with the committee within the next week if possible, and it is likely that arrangements will be made with him to take charge of our campaign. He is an experienced road builder, has had much experience in this line and is said to be a very forceful speaker. If his services can be obtained there is no doubt that the situation will be presented in the right manner and that the people will be fully informed about what they are voting on. The idea is to have speeches in every schoolhouse if possible. PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

### Great Event for Lone Grove

We are delighted to report the success of the Sunday school Rally day held at Lone Grove church on Sunday, June 4, which was a red letter day for the Sunday school in this part of the country.

The seating capacity was more than 800 and standing room was at a premium. The congregation was estimated at between 800 and 1000. After thirty minutes song service led by Rev. B. Yount, the program was opened by prayer by Rev. J. M. Stratton, and Rev. J. N. Stone delivered the address of welcome, response by Rev. Morris F. Gilbert. The program was most excellently rendered and is said to have been the most appropriate and best arranged ever rendered in this part of the country, and which lasted an hour and forty-five minutes.

The table—108 feet long and 4 ft. wide—was then spread by the good mothers and sisters and it was laden with delicious eats. Rev. Estell Patton asked the blessings of God upon the nourishment and people.

The afternoon services were opened by song and prayer was offered by Rev. Lee Yount. Rev. Estell Patton, field agent for Liberty Sunday School association, conducted a round table service on the subject "Better Sunday Schools."

Considerable discussion on the subjects of superintending by those of experience, greater efficiency in teaching, and how to enthrone older people in Sunday school work.

The congregation then repaired to the creek where the ordinance of

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baptism was administered by Rev. Morris F. Gilbert, our worthy leader and director in this grand Sunday school move, which we appreciate and for which we are thankful.

We feel that this rally day has put new life into the Sunday school work here, and it is hoped that we may have a rally every Sunday. May the good work go right on and gather strength, for it stands next to the church in our lives.

Fathers and mothers, let me appeal to you to become more interested in the Sunday school, not only send the children, but go with them and show them you are really interested and they will become more interested. Remember parents. 'Tis common education that trains the mind. As the bush is bent so is the tree inclined."

You will never regret the time spent in rearing the child right and the hours spent in the Sunday school with them.

### Huskey

Health is good and everything looks fine after the fine rains. Meadows are growing rapidly and it seems there will be a fair crop of hay yet. Oats look much better.

Louis Sutton has been canvassing this part of the county in the interest of a lightning rod concern.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds June 11, a 10 pound boy. The stork left a fine boy at Frank Seabaugh's recently.

Mr. Slinkard, our road overseer, has been working a crew of men. They repaired the small bridge across Hurricane Thursday morning.

According to the present law the poll tax must either be paid or worked out by the first of July. It seems that most everyone in this part are for the "Bond Issue" and there is no reason why they should not be. People have been blaming the county officials and road overseers when there is no one to blame but themselves. In fact the funds and labor are inadequate to build roads no matter who is at the helm. This is a great opportunity and I think the people should hasten to take advantage of it.

There was quite an excitement Thursday evening when the little son of B. H. Ramsey could not be found. The family and neighbors were greatly alarmed and began a search. The little fellow was found in the barn taking a nice nap. His little sister had looked in the barn but overlooked him.

Messrs Lutes and Wallis were in this part Thursday in the interest of the Bollinger County Mutual Aid society.

Robert Sadler has been suffering from a wound in his foot inflicted by being pierced by a nail.

Uncle Anderson Mitchell found a piece of pine plank about four feet long in his field Tuesday morning after the storm the plank was nicely painted and no doubt has come from some of the storm swept country.

The Lutes company have all their

timber cut on the Schreiner place and Mr. Slinkard will soon be in with his mill to finish sawing the ties. Crader Brothers have a mill on the Hider land.

Dr. Sander is erecting a large barn on his farm. Thos Allen is getting the lumber and Lincolns are doing the carpenter work.

There was a large number contemplating attending the basket dinner at Gravel Hill Sunday but owing to the rain they were disappointed.

Clover cutting is being greatly hindered by the rain.

Mrs. E. A. Murry visited her daughter, Mrs. Nola Huskey, recently.

Joseph Crader was in these parts Saturday soliciting hands to help in the harvest of his wheat. He says his wheat is good.

Romer Call is working for A. M. Allen.

A. M. Barrett and B. H. Ramsey spent Saturday night and Sunday with their families.

Adam Seabaugh made a trip to the Cape last week. JENKS

### Lone Grove

Wheat cutting has begun. It is very poor and much of it is not worth anything.

Mrs. D. D. Killian was called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Grover Duckett, who is very ill at Holley, Ark.

Bryan Stone spent Friday and Saturday at the home of his brother, Virgil, near Bessville.

A number of our people attended church and the basket dinner at Union Ridge Sunday. They report a good time and an enjoyable day. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dockins of Buchanan visited at Scopus from Saturday until Monday.

Robert L. Teeters has been assisting Prof. Welker the last week.

L. Clarence Allen went to Glen Allen Saturday.

Mrs. John Hartle, who has been ill for about two months, is reported better.

Miss Tavia Seabaugh visited Misses Ina and Connie Mungle Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Dessie McMahan and Kate Estes visited Marvin Barks Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Morris F. Gilbert, who has been conducting a series of meetings at Union Ridge, returned to Bell City Saturday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Bollinger, June 16, a son.

Rev. Boyde came up from Arkansas Saturday and preached at Cole chapel Saturday night and Sunday and at Hahn chapel Sunday night.

Miss Mary Thomason returned to W. H. Heath's Thursday.

Sunday school at Lone Grove at 9:30 Sunday mornings. Come out and help us in the work.

Rains and candidates are the most numerous things in these parts. Hunters and timber cutters should be very careful. E. L. TOR.

### Castor

We are having quite a lot of rain

the last week. The river overflowed some of the lowlands, but did very little damage to the crops.

Farmers are most all getting behind with their work. Some are cutting their wheat on account of imperfect ripening.

Church services were rained out at Miller chapel Sunday.

Misses Thelma and Frieda Kinder visited at T. J. Prady's Saturday.

Aunt Dora Shetley visited her daughter, Mrs. Kate Whitener, over Sunday.

C. A. Shetley has his new barn almost completed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kinder visited Mrs. Kinder's parents Saturday night.

Come on with your items, Olathe, as we like to read them, but we hardly know what about your crops for your ideas seem to vary.

Johnny Rickman made a business trip to Marquand Friday.

Joe Burk was in this section one day last week.

Connie Beal visited at U. E. Kinder's one day last week.

U. E. Kinder made a trip to Marble Hill Monday.

Will Bollinger and family and Mrs. Susan Bollinger and daughter visited at Chas. Bollinger's one day this week. OLD MAIL.

### Mayfield

Health is very good.

Farmers are busy between showers plowing corn and it keeps them busy keeping down the grass.

Some of the farmers are cutting wheat, but they report the crop very poor.

P. H. Seabaugh and family visited at James Green's last Sunday.

E. R. Mayfield and brother have been sawing out a house pattern for Johnny Mayfield. Johnny is going to build on his farm he recently purchased from Jonas Barks.

Mrs. W. D. Mayfield and Master Earl and Mrs. Bennett Williams and babe spent last week visiting relatives at Cape Girardeau and Benton. They returned home last Sunday.

There is Sunday school at this place every Sunday at 11 a. m. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mayfield and babe visited at W. H. Mayfield's Saturday night.

Joe Shirley has been working for the Modern Yeomen lodge. He has almost enough members to organize the society.

Most all the talk around here is good roads. Hurrah for the good roads proposition!

There will be an ice cream supper given by the Ideal Cornet band at the Mayfield postoffice Tuesday night, June 27. Everybody invited. Mr. and Mrs. Vester Woodbridge visited his mother near Sedgewickville Saturday night and Sunday.

The Ideal Cornet band will play for the picnic at Marquand the Fourth of July. MAYFIELD.

### A Spin in the Car

With gasoline at 13 cents a gallon. "Come and take a spin with us old man. We're not going far, just 100 miles or so, if the roads are good."

With gasoline at 18 cents. "Be glad to have you in the car with us Sunday. We're going out for a little 50-mile jog."

With gasoline at 23 cents. "Got time to go down to the island with me in the machine? Glad to have you, if you'll come."

With gasoline at 30 cents. "Like to ride around the block a couple of times in the car? Jump in. We won't be gone over ten minutes."

With gasoline at 40 cents and up. "We're going to roll the car out to the curb and sit in it for the air a while. Will you join us?"—Brooklyn Times.

"Anything to beat Wilson" is not going to defeat Wilson. They'll have to give mighty good reasons, and they can't do it.—State Democratic Committee.